

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: FORSSMANN, et al.

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For: INSULIN-LIKE GROWTH FACTOR BINDING PROTEIN FRAGMENTS AND THE  
UTILIZATION THEREOF

**RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Box PCT  
Attn. PCT Legal Office  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Renewed Petition is made, hereby, in accordance with the Decision on Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a), mailed May 7, 2001, copy attached, to accept the Declaration of Inventorship submitted concurrently herewith. The Declaration of Inventorship is executed by inventors Wolf-Georg Forssmann, Ludger Standker, Maik Obendorf, Lothar Kling, and Hans-Georg Opitz, on their own behalf and on behalf of non-signing inventor Hossein Mostafavi. The non-signing inventor could not be found or reached at his last known address – Fraunhoferstr. 8, Hanover 30163, Germany – after diligent effort and after alternative means were employed, such as a search of telephone and/or Internet directories, in an attempt to locate Mr. Mostafavi, as set forth in the attached Declaration in Support of Renewed Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a).

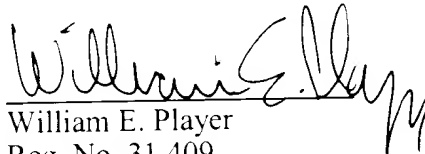
No additional petition fee is required, in accordance with the aforesaid Decision on Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a).

Favorable action is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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